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父親のようなプロ野球選手になることを  
夢見て、日夜トレーニングに励む15歳の野球少年・吾郎!!  
友達の拓也君とリトルリーグに挑戦!!

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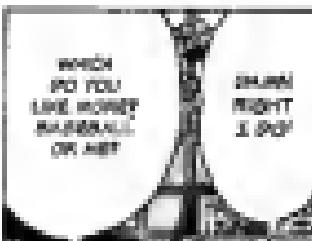
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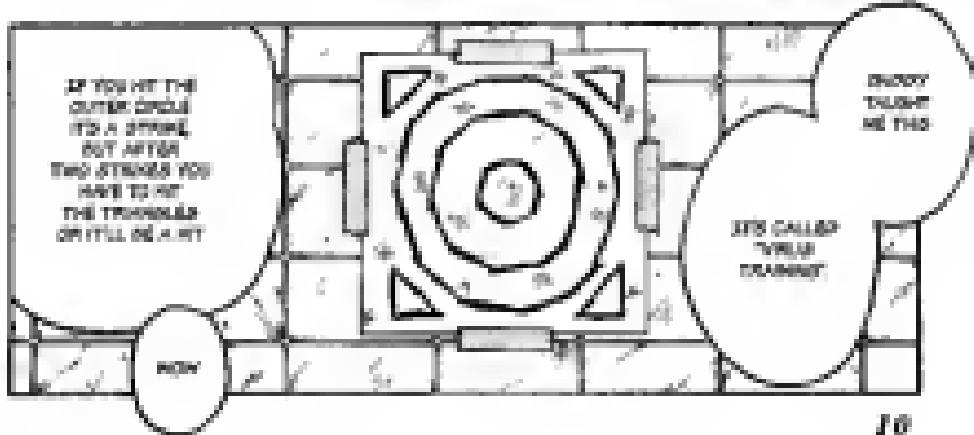
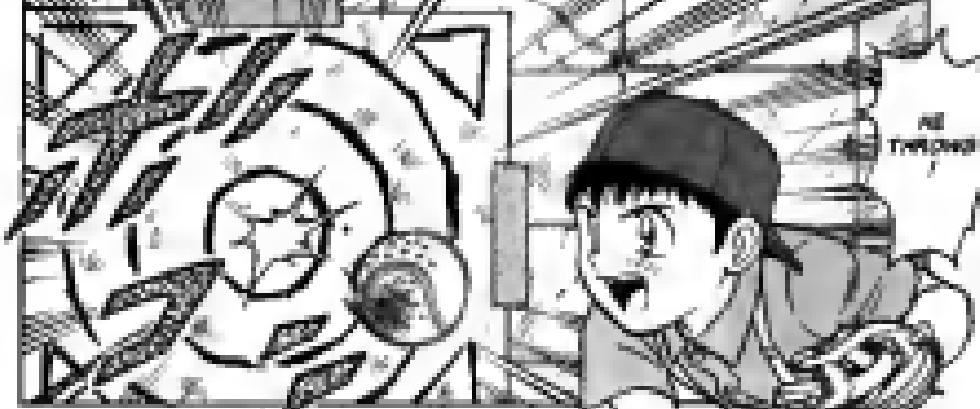
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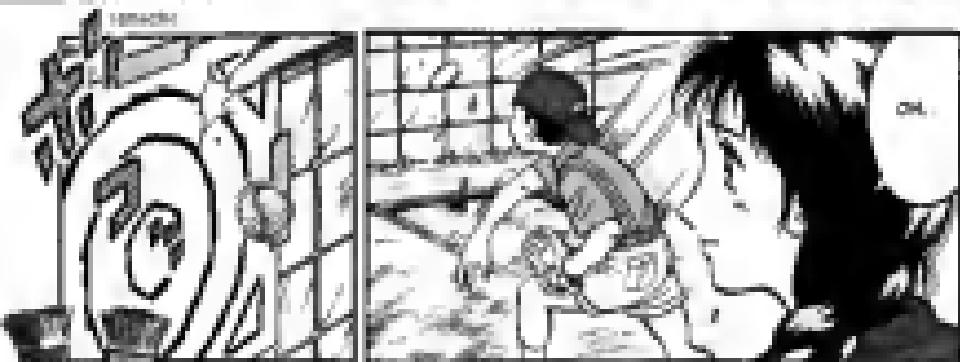


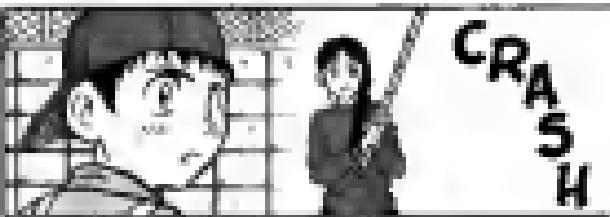
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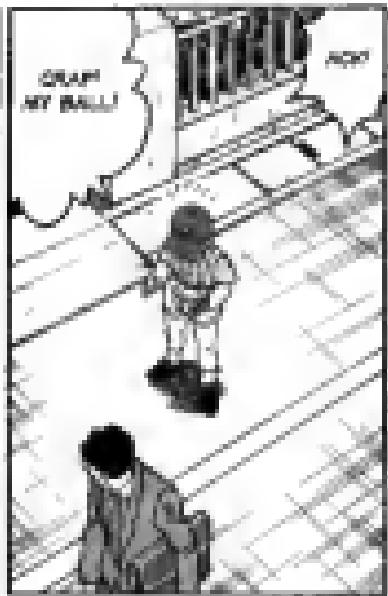












YOU MIGHT  
NOT LIKE THIS  
ONE DAY IF YOU  
TRAIN HARD

BURP!  
BURP!

YOUR  
DAD'S  
ALL  
BURP!

BUT  
YOU NEED  
TO EAT YOUR  
VEGETABLES  
AND EXERCISE  
A LOT

YOU NEED TO  
RUN AND JUMP  
AND JUMBLEWALK  
IF YOU WANT TO  
THROW FAIR  
OR HIT FAIR.

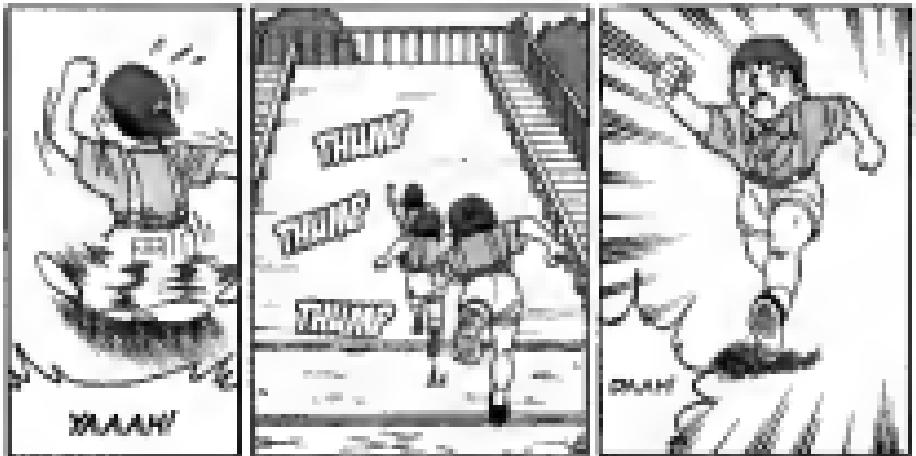
AND  
NOT JUST  
THROWING  
THE BALL.  
BUT...

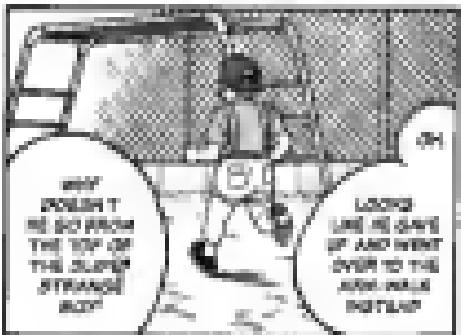
YOU NEED  
TO TAKE  
IT STEP  
BY STEP

BUT  
YOU'RE STILL  
LITTLE.  
SO BE  
CAREFUL.

I WILL!

OKAY!









-YOU PRACTICE FOR DYNAMIC PRACTICE-



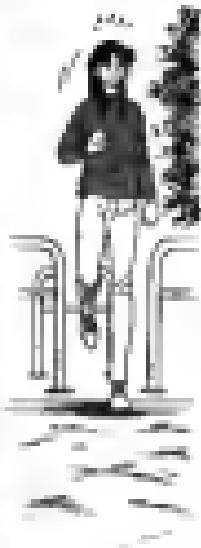


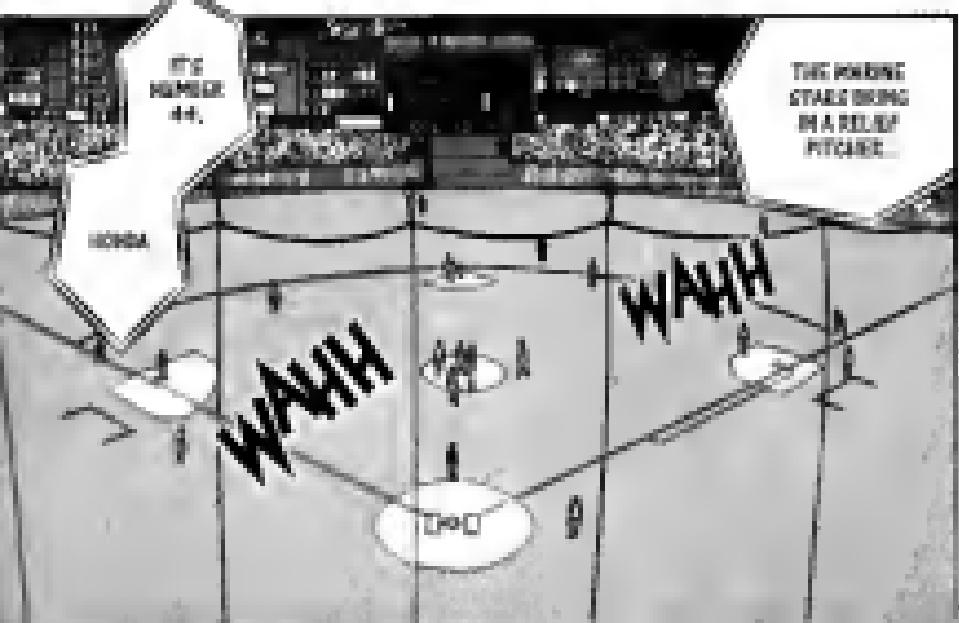
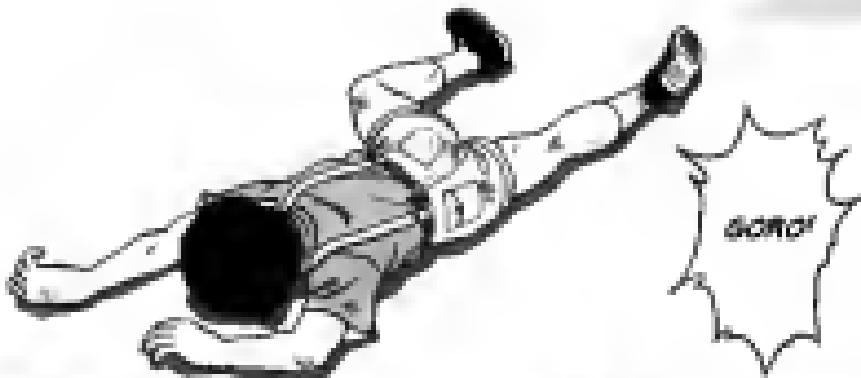




YOU  
JERKS  
!







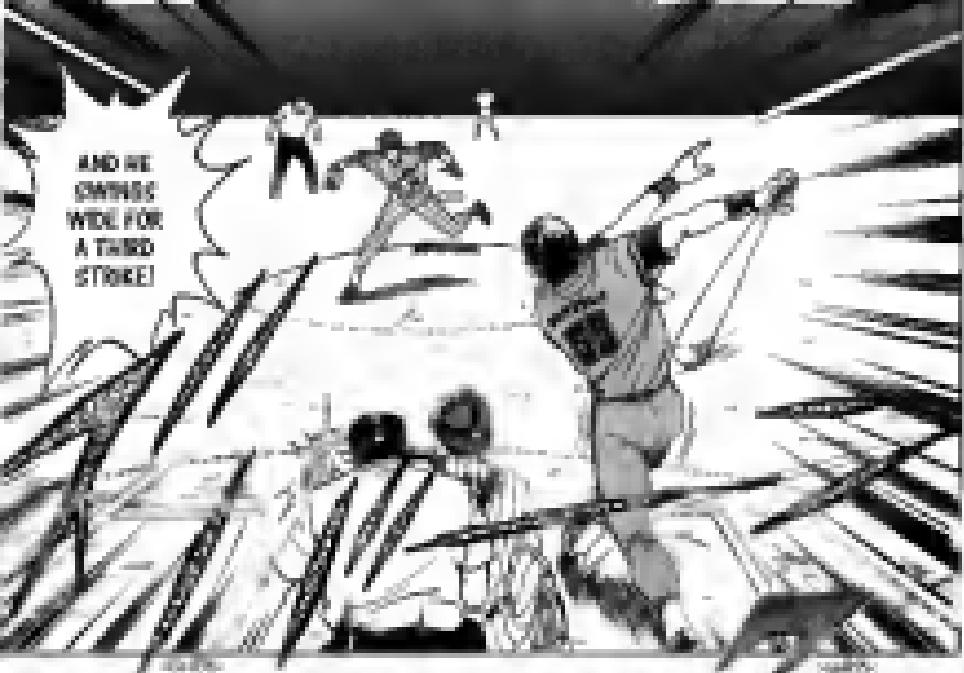


IT'S  
DAMMIT

HAPPY



AND HE  
CONTINUES  
WALKING FOR  
A THIRD  
STRIKE!



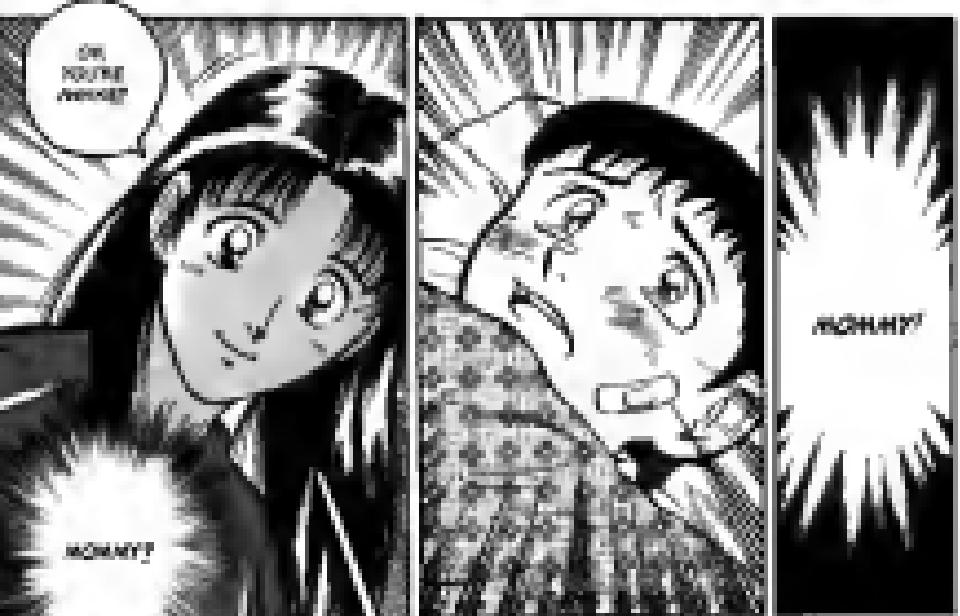
ME  
DO  
IT

YOU  
DO IT  
SLOWLY

THIS  
THIS  
THIS  
SLOWLY







I WANT TO GIVE  
YOU FOUR BALLS,  
AND FOURTH THOUGHT  
OF YOUR BOYS  
BULLYING  
YOU!

ARE  
YOU ALL  
READY  
FOR IT  
FIGHT?

THANK  
YOU!

OH  
MAN  
HORROR

WE  
WILL  
FIGHTING!

THEY  
WON'T  
BULLYING  
ME!

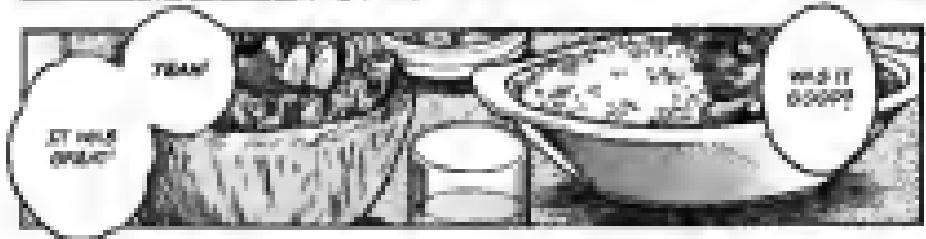
YAAA!

I DON'T  
APPROVE  
OF BOYS  
WHO FIGHT

YOU  
MIGHT  
FIGHT

I WOULD  
GIVE CURRY  
FOR US!

WELL,  
ARE YOU  
READY?





HED IN A  
SLUMP RIGHT  
NOW, BUT HELL  
GET BACK  
AND STRIKE MATSU  
OUT, TOO!

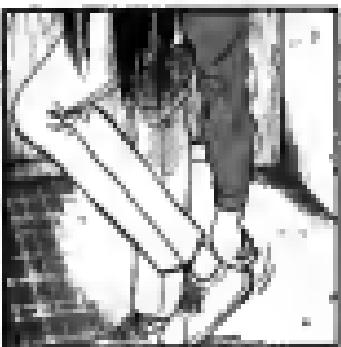
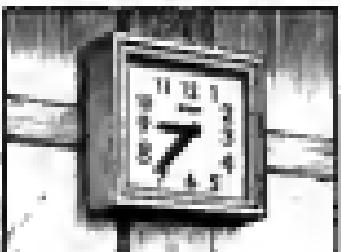
HELL GET  
BACK TO THE  
FIRST-STRING  
TEAM SOON!

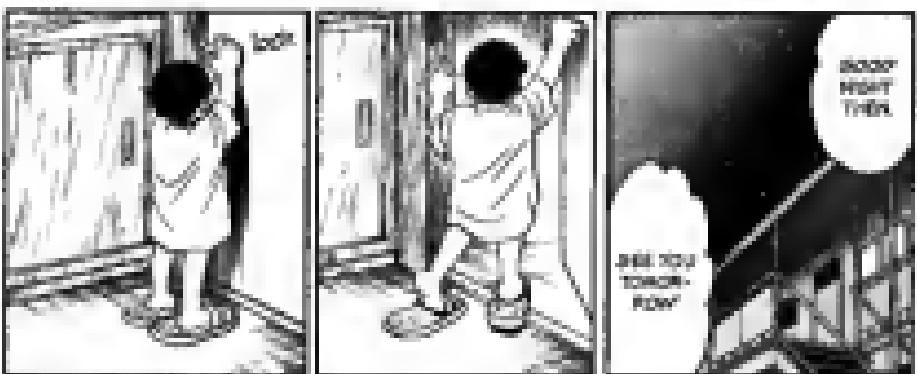
DADDY  
BEEN DAD  
SINCE MOMMY  
DIED...

ELE  
DADDY



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YOU MIGHT  
AS WELL  
QUIT TOO!

I'M  
AFRAID  
YOU'LL  
NEED  
SURGERY

THERE'S AN  
IRREGULARITY  
IN YOUR  
LEFT ELBOW  
LIGAMENT.

## CHAPTER 2: Switch

WILL  
THAT  
FIX  
IT?

SURGERY  
IT



YES, BUT YOU'LL  
PROBABLY LOSE  
ABOUT 20  
PERCENT OF YOUR  
BASEBALL AND  
THAT'S AFTER  
INTENSIVE REHAB.



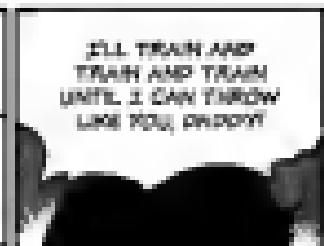
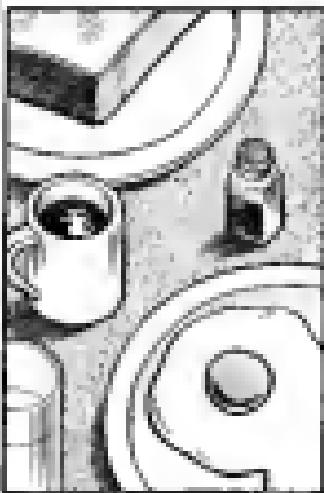
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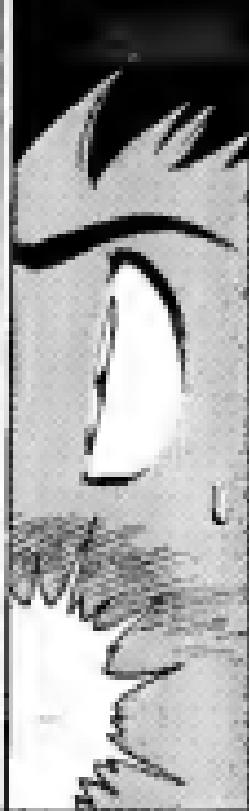












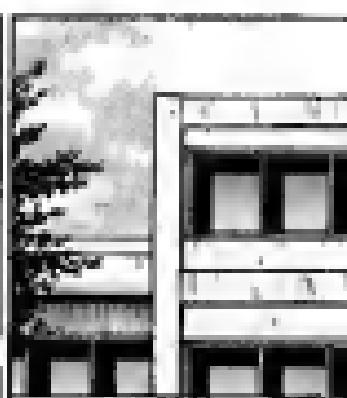
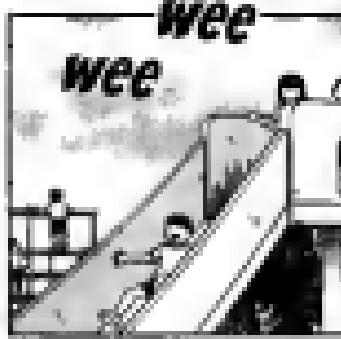


AT MY AGE,  
STARTING WITH  
ONLY ONE FOOT IN  
THE FIRST-STRIKE  
TEAM, NOBODY  
WOULD WAIT FOR  
ME TO RECOVER.  
FROM SUCH A  
FATAL BLUSTR

I OWE YOU TOO  
YOUNG TO  
UNDERSTAND!







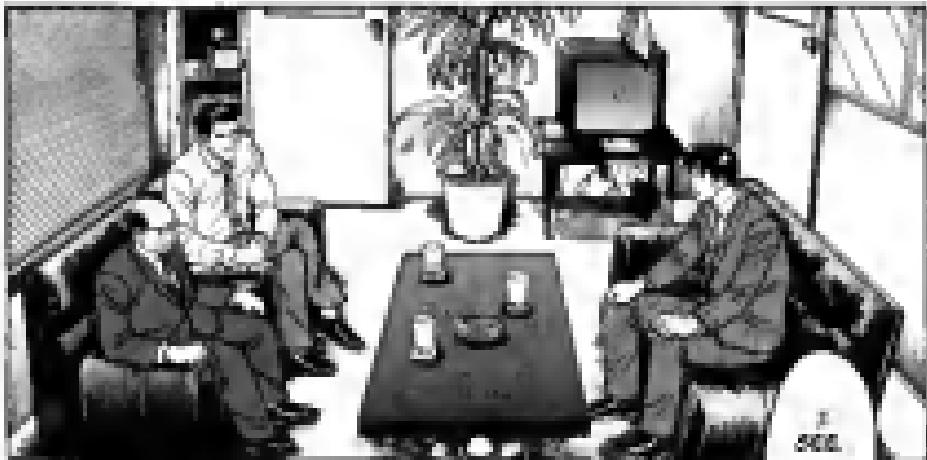






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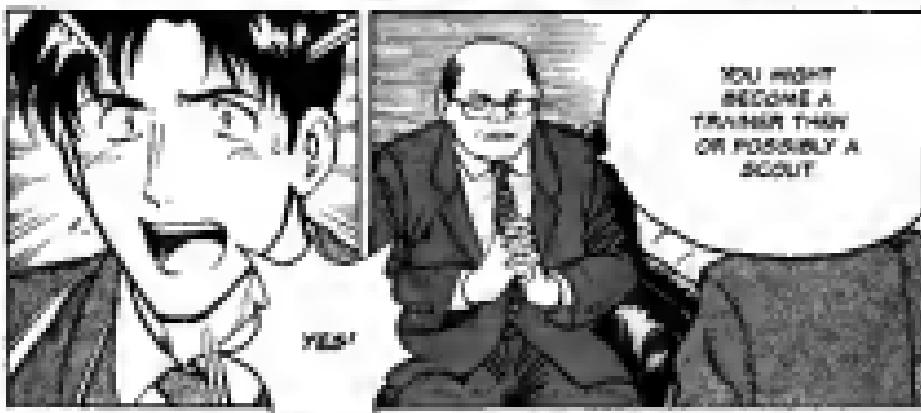
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I HATE TO SAY IT BUT WITH AN ELBOW BURST WELL THERE'S NO CHOICE BUT TO LET YOU PRACTICE.

WELL, IT'S GOOD OF YOU TO SAY THAT



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FOR THEM THE  
YEAR WOULD  
WANT GENERAL  
PEACE FOR A  
DAY AND ONE  
THREE PEASU-  
DUP AND STILL  
ON THE SECURE  
STRONG TEAHT

Fontenay

卷之三  
三

**WIT  
HUMOUR  
JUST  
INTELLIGENCE  
OF AN  
ELEGANT  
FLAVOR**

**YOU CAUGHT  
ME ON THE  
HOT SEAT  
FROM THE  
MANAGERS  
ONCE**

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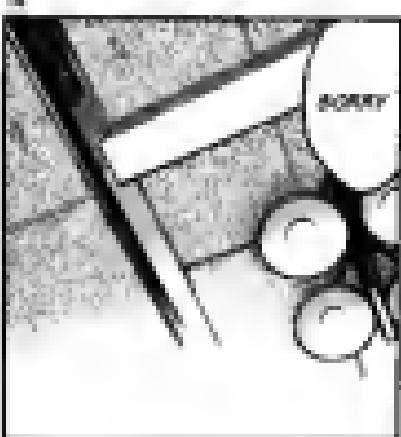
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LAWRENCE  
THOMAS  
PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICES



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THINKS  
MORE TO  
BASEBALL  
THAN  
PITCHING.

SWITCH  
AND COME  
BACK AS A  
BATTER.



WHAT?

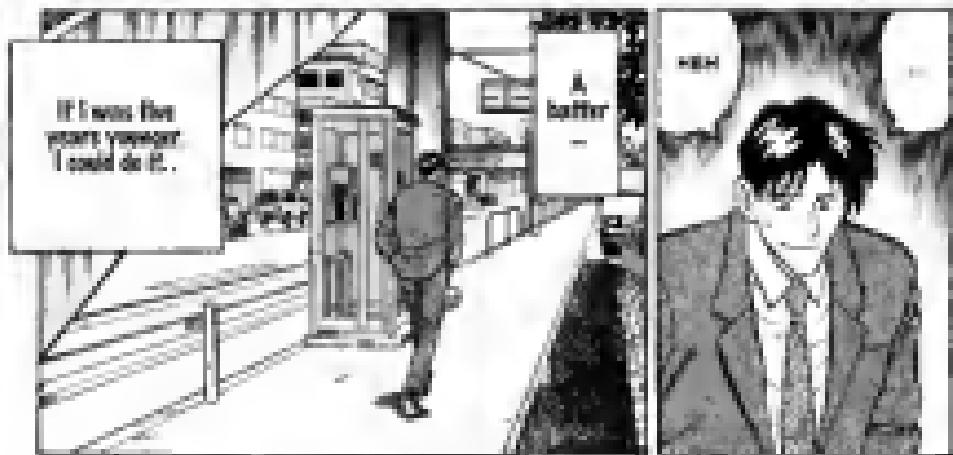


NOW  
YOU'RE AN  
OLD MAN  
WHO HAVEN'T  
SWUNG A  
BAT IN TEN  
YEARS.

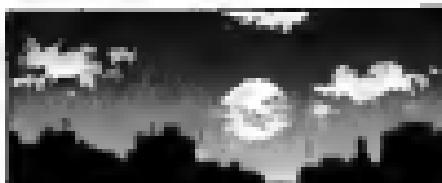
YOU SWUNG  
CLAWED UP IN  
HIGH SCHOOL,  
SURE, BUT  
THAT'S A LONG  
TIME AGO.



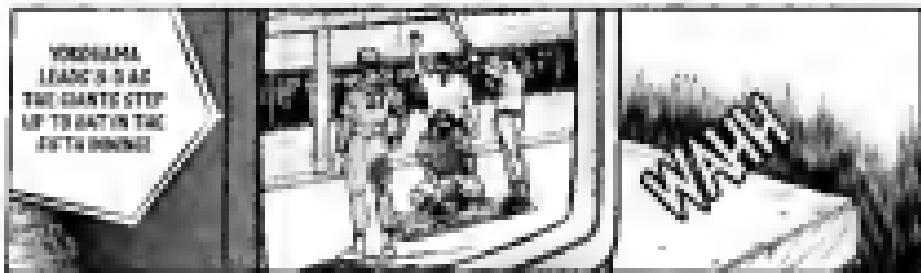
MAN!  
JUST  
KEEPING  
MAN!











DON'T WORRY  
ABOUT GORDI.  
HE'S A SCOOF  
UP HELL GET  
HOME ON HIS  
OWN.

YOU  
DON'T  
HAVE TO  
STAY  
HERE.

BUT  
IF HE'S  
DROWNING  
IN THE  
RIVER...

WE'VE ALREADY  
HEARD  
ABOUT IT  
ALREADY.

OH, IF  
ONLY JIM  
WOULD TELL ME!

IF  
SOMETHING  
HAPPENED  
TO...

BUT WHAT IF  
THERE'S BEEN  
A TRAFFIC  
ACCIDENT  
OR HIS CAR  
BREAKDOWN  
OR...

BUT THE  
THREE OF  
US MUST  
BOTH FACE  
REALITY

ME GROWING  
UP BASEBALL  
MUST HAVE  
BEEN A GREAT  
SHOCK TO HIM.

IT'S  
NOT  
YOUR  
PROBLEM

THE  
WORLD

DING DONG

WHEN HE  
CALLS DOWN  
AND REALIZES  
HE FORGOT  
HIS HAMMER  
HE'S BACK



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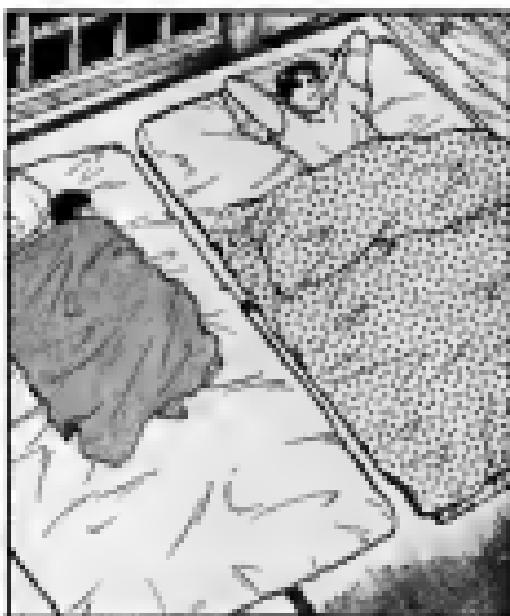








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I  
CAN'T  
GIVE UP  
YET!



I'LL DO IT!  
BASEBALL  
IS ALL GORO  
AND I HAVE  
LEFT!



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# CHAPTER 1

## First Meeting



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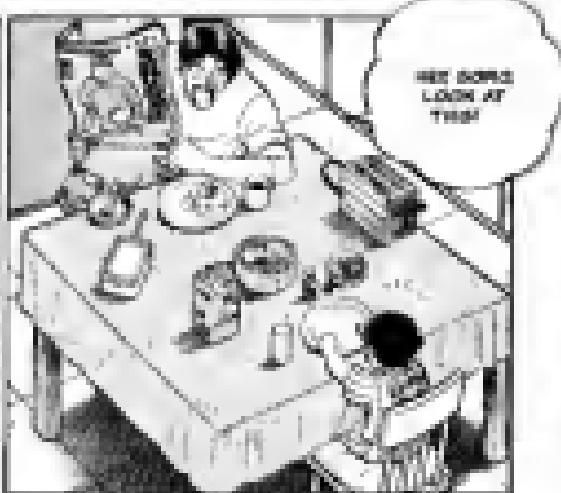


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First Meeting



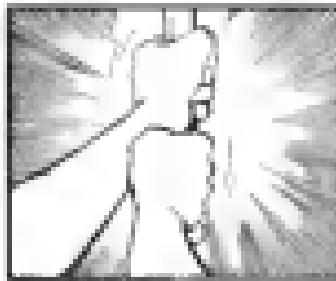
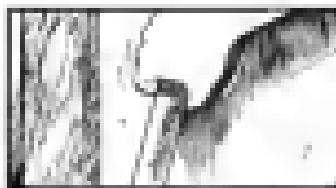
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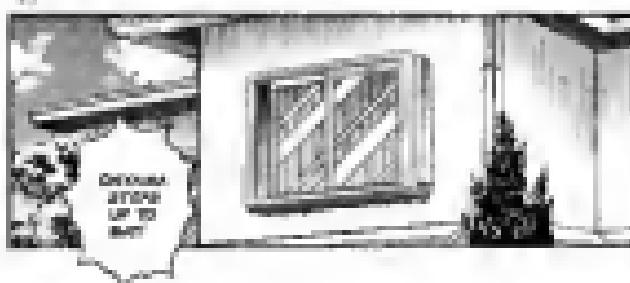
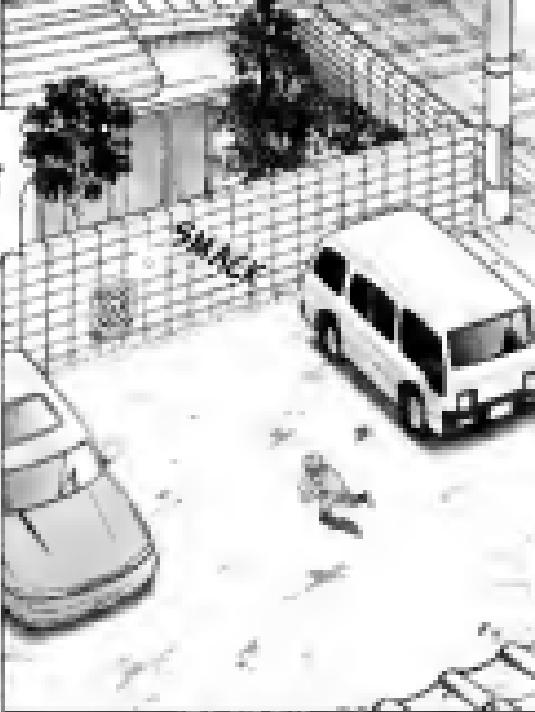


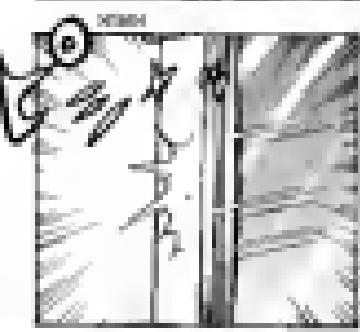
I don't care...  
I don't care...

WILL SHOW  
YOU THE  
DREAM AGAIN!

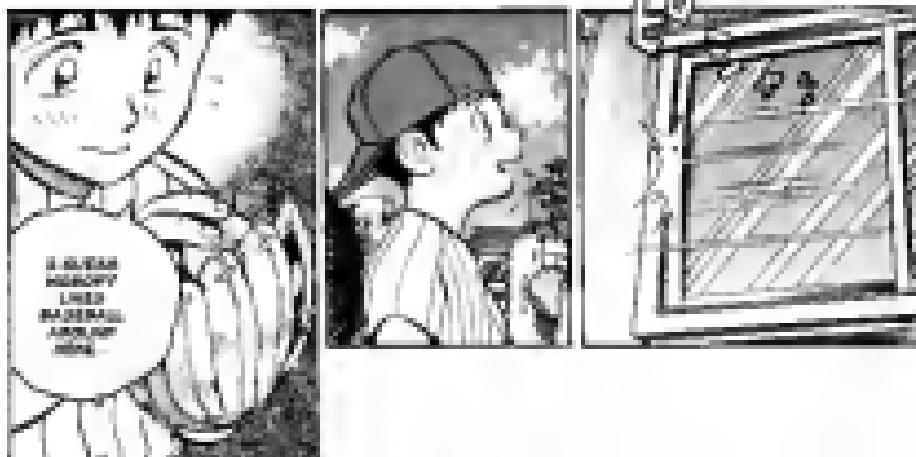


GORO'S  
FAVORITE  
ROBOT  
FIGURE!



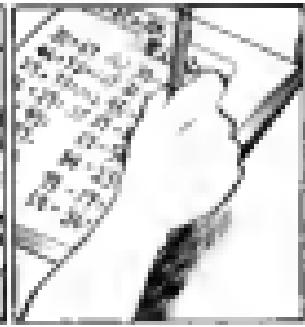








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OOH



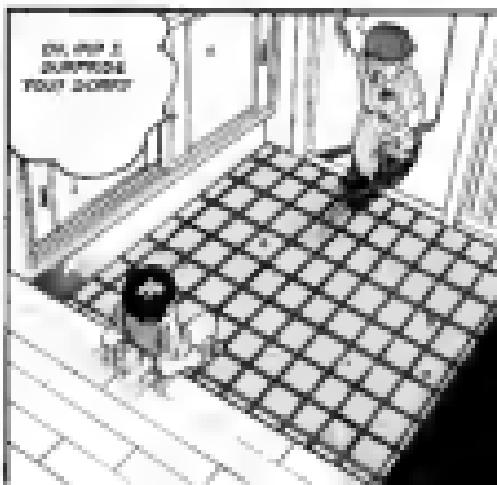
HOW WE CAN  
PLAY GAMES  
TOGETHER?

I WENT BACK  
AND GOT ONE OF  
MY OLD GLOVES!

BACK!



OH, FOR A  
SURPRISE,  
YOU DON'T



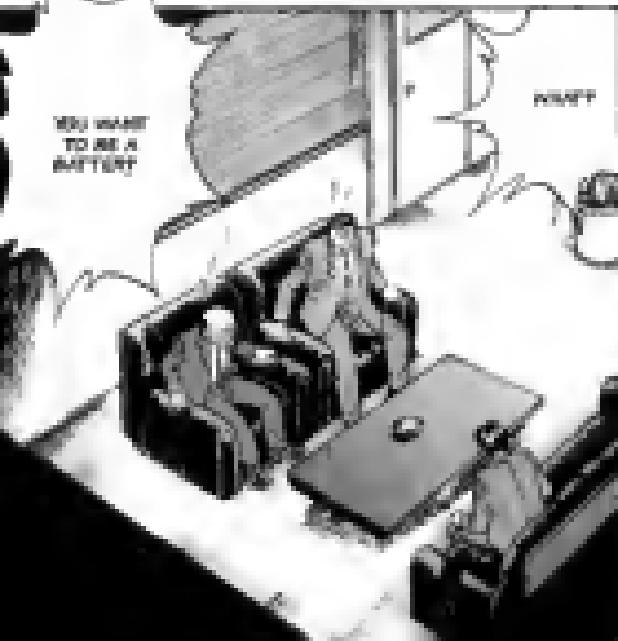
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THAT'S  
SWORD AND  
TECHNO  
FAUT  
MEETING



YOU WANT  
TO BE A  
BATTERY





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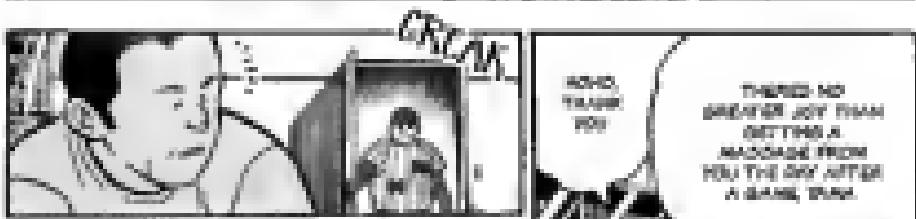


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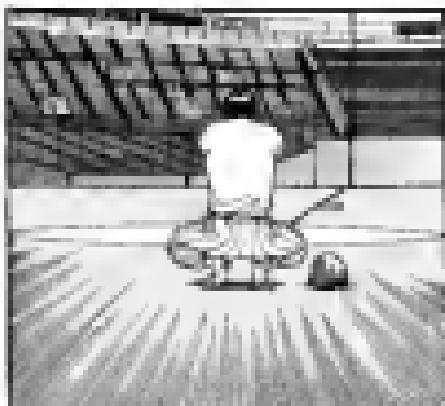
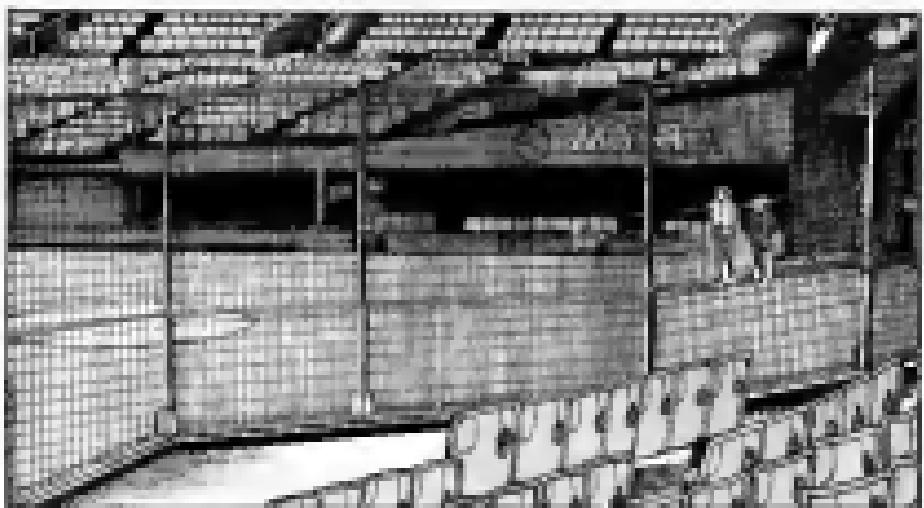
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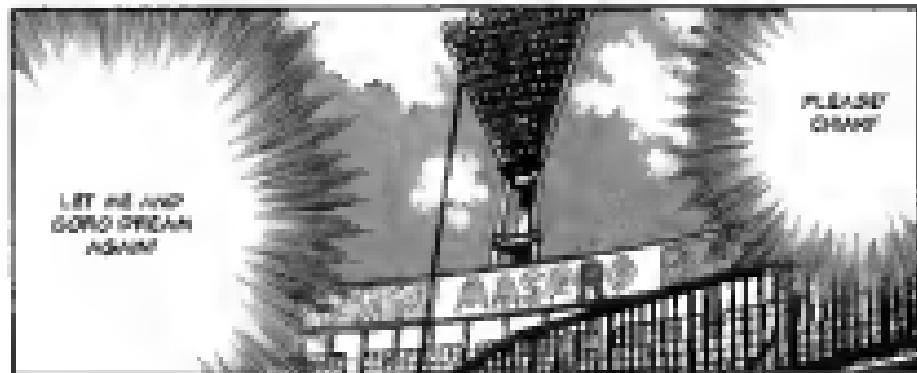


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60°



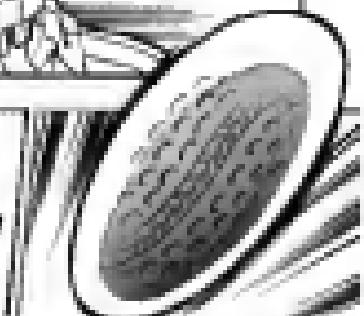
GWAAH!



TORAHIR



DAN



THIS IS ONLY A  
SOFTBALL! IT  
WON'T HURT YOU!

SOFT  
AS SOFT

CATCH

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
DOING?

THIS  
ISN'T  
FUN AT  
ALL!

I DON'T  
WANT

NO WAY,  
PLEASE!

MOMMY WILL  
BE ANGRY IF  
SHE SEES THIS!

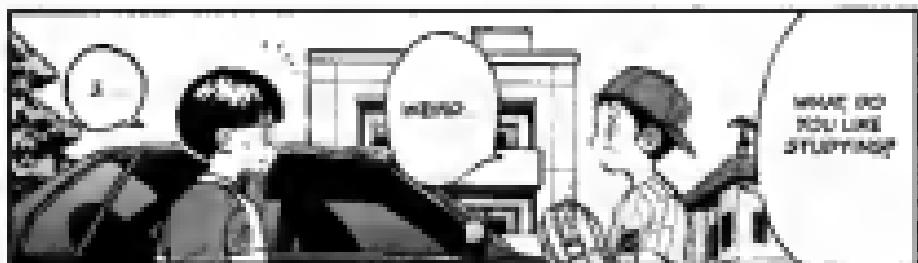
ENOUGH!

STUPID

I HAVE TO GO  
HOME AND  
STUDY!

I WON'T  
THROW SO  
HARD

STUPID



YOU CAN BE A  
RESPONSIBLE  
ADULT WITHOUT  
STOPPING, TOO!

CAUSE I'LL BE  
A BASEBALL  
PRO!



IF IT TURNS OUT  
YOU'RE GOOD,  
YOU CAN JUST  
STOP STUDYING  
AND BECOME A  
BASEBALL  
PLAYER, HERE AM

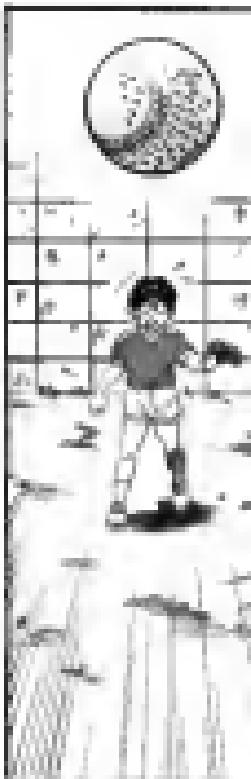
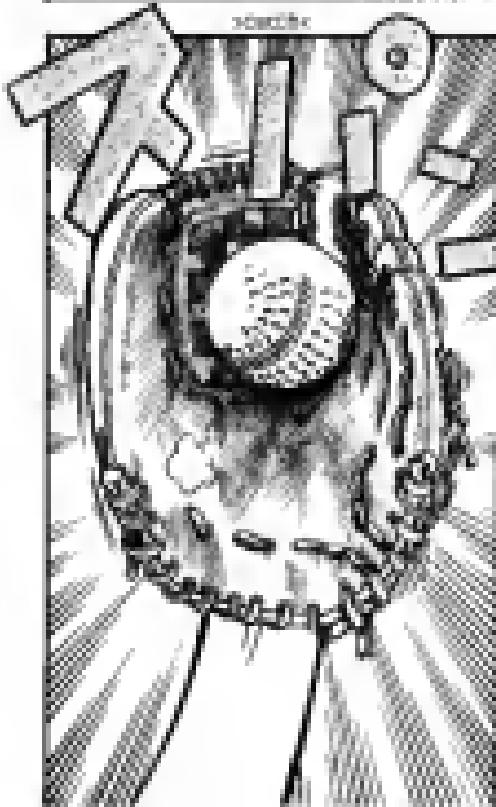
YOU WON'T  
KNOW UNTIL  
YOU'VE  
TRYED

YOU KNOW IF  
YOU START  
NOW, YOU  
MIGHT BECOME  
A PRO TOO

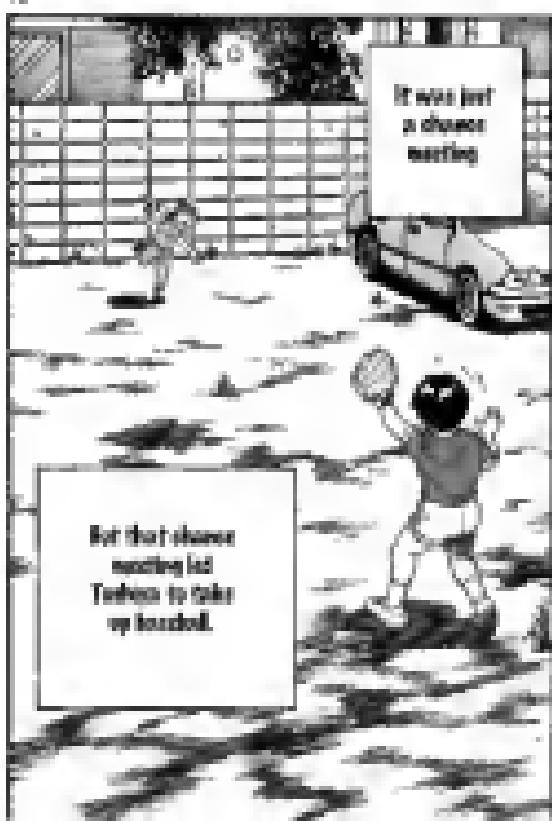
TEAM

I DON'T  
HAVE ANY  
TALENT FOR  
SPORTS

NO WAY!









IF YOU DON'T  
SHOW ANY  
TALENT HERE,  
YOU'LL HAVE TO  
RETIRE!

YOU GOT  
THREE AT-  
BATS!

AND  
GO...  
PLAISER

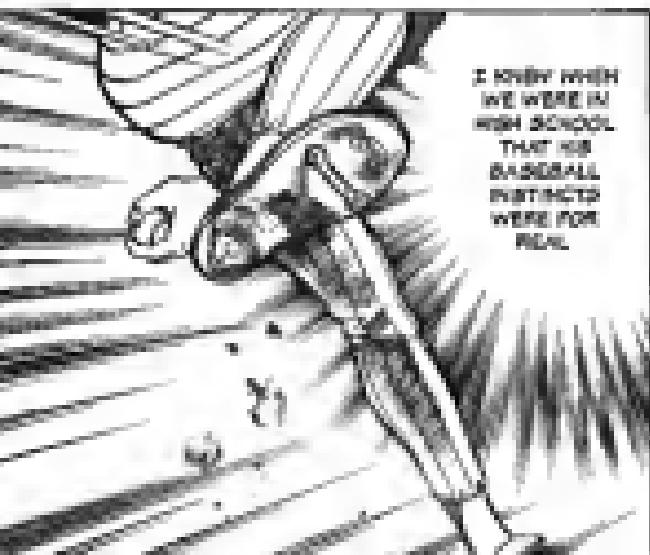
IT WON'T  
HELP THE GUY  
ANY IF YOU  
PUT HIM  
ON THE TEAM!

DISNEY DON'T  
HOLD BACK  
BECAUSE HE'S  
YOUR FRIEND!

I KNOW  
I KNOW

HERE I  
GO...  
THAT!

HOF



SHOW ME  
THOSE  
INSTINCTS!



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## Second baseball career

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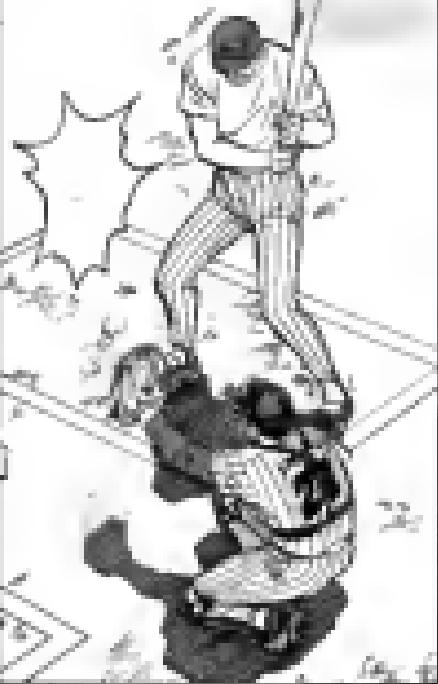
I DARE  
TO HIT  
IT!

MY BASEBALL  
GLOVE WILL  
BE OPEN

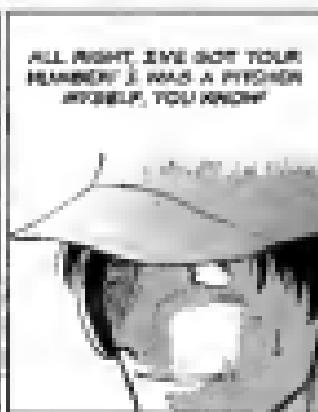
IF I DON'T  
GET A HIT  
AGAINST  
DODGEO



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SHAW AND GREG  
SHAW COLORED BY CORINA





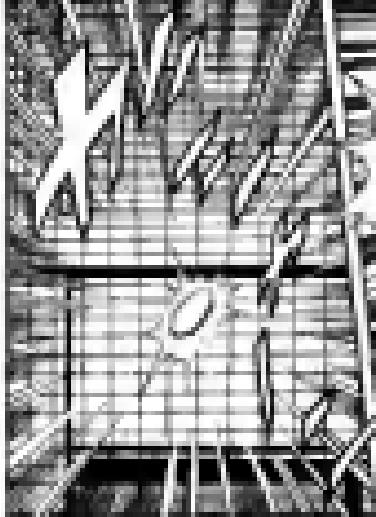




ALL RIGHT,  
THEY WILL BE A  
SLOW CURVE  
MAKING THE ROLL  
TIME TO JUMP!

DAMN  
HE'S GOIN' AT  
RADDIN' OUT  
MATT'S  
FOOT















STEP  
BY STEP

I'LL  
FEEL THAT  
FEELING  
AGAIN...

YOSHIO  
HONDA IS  
ACTUALLY  
KEEPING UP  
WITH  
SABOUEI

THAT'S  
INCREDIBLY  
SKILL

WE HADN'T  
CHANGED  
SINCE HIGH  
SCHOOL!

THAT'S IT!  
THOSE LITTLE  
WRISTS! THE  
TYPE HE USES  
FOR KARATE!

IT'S  
LEFTY  
VERSUS  
LEFTY  
TOO!

WHAT'S  
GOING ON?

Magic  
Art  
Magic

YOU WERE  
SUPPOSED  
TO BE A  
BUTTON!

I REMEMBER!



THIS  
IS THE  
FEELING!





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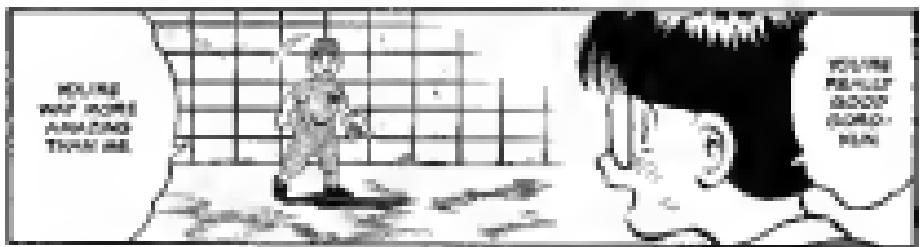


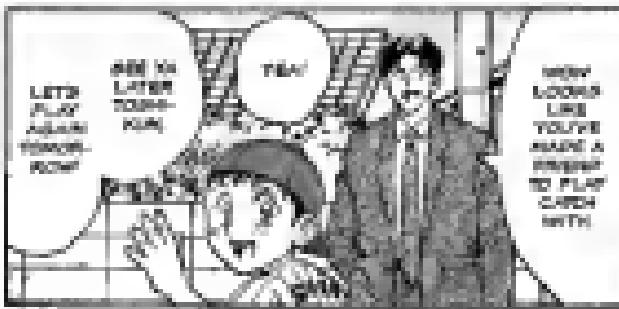
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# Friendship











YOU HAVEN'T  
EATEN TWO-  
POUNTS  
BEFORE.  
THIS POULTRY  
WILL CALL  
PEOPLE'S EYES.

WHAT  
WENT TO  
THEIR?

THIS IS  
A HUGE  
PIECE OF  
MEAT!

ALRIGHT,  
ALL POULTRY



I DON'T  
SEE HOW  
IT'S POSSIBLY  
EXPENSIVE?



ARE YOU  
WORRIED  
ABOUT  
YOUR CHILD'S  
WELLBEING?

NO,



I ALREADY  
BOUGHT A NEW  
JOB TODAY!

DON'T WORRY

IT'S FINE.

JUST  
SET UP  
AL-  
READY!

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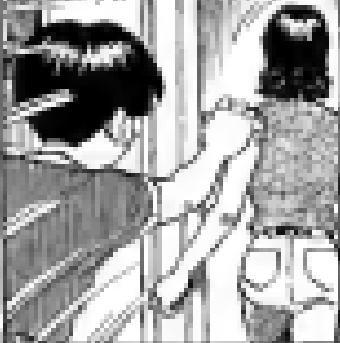


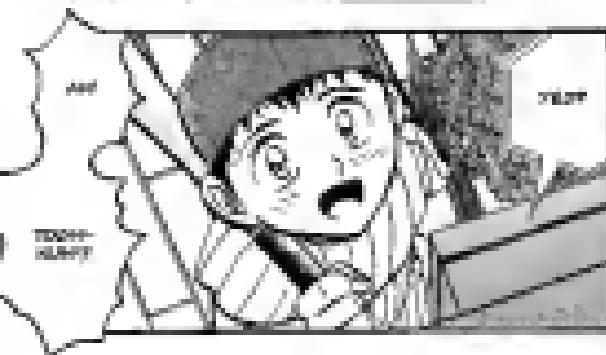
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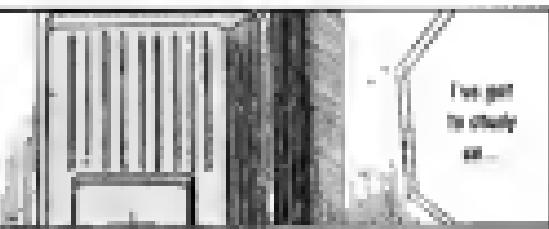
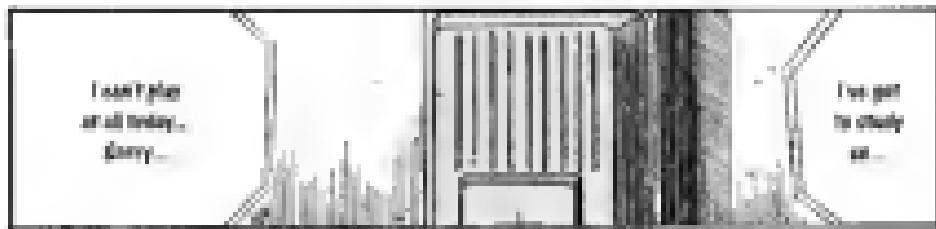
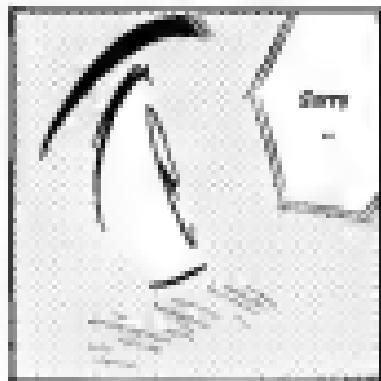


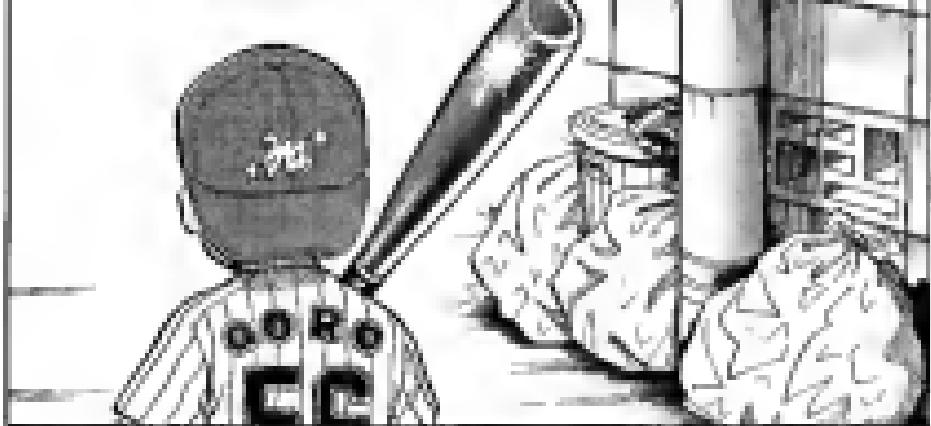
WHAT'S UP  
THAT REALLY  
TRUE, I

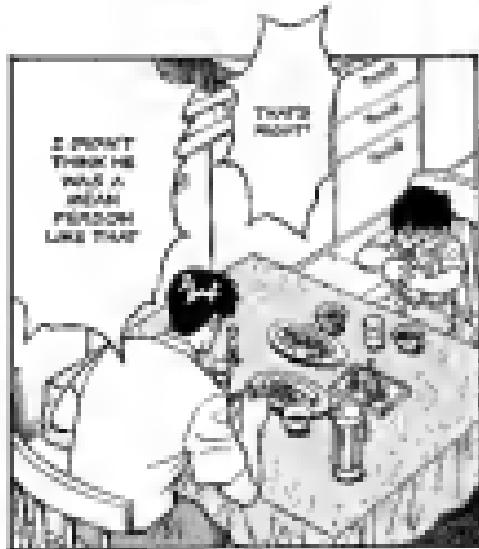










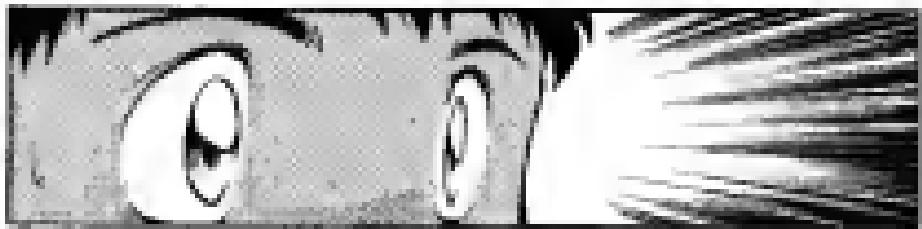


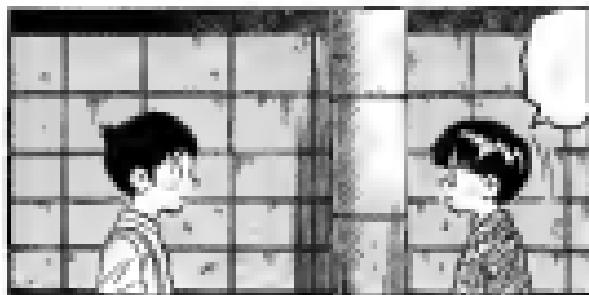












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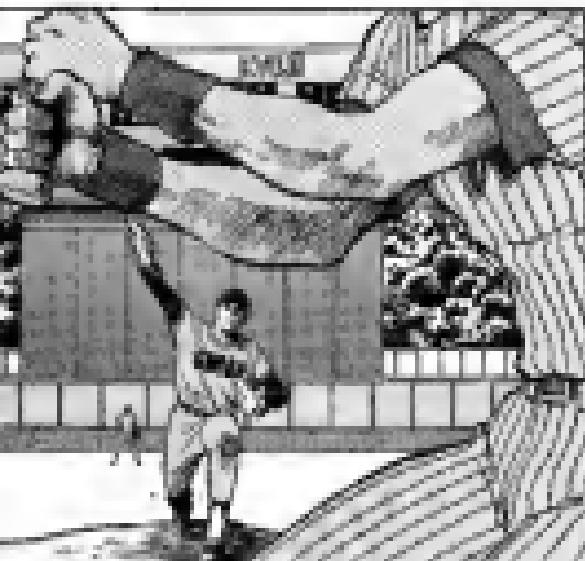
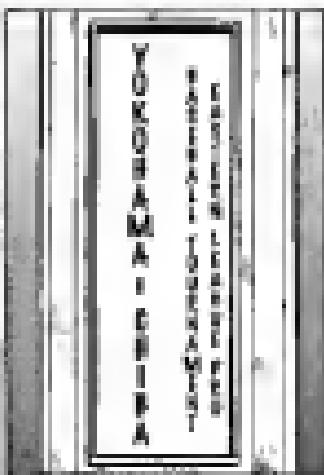
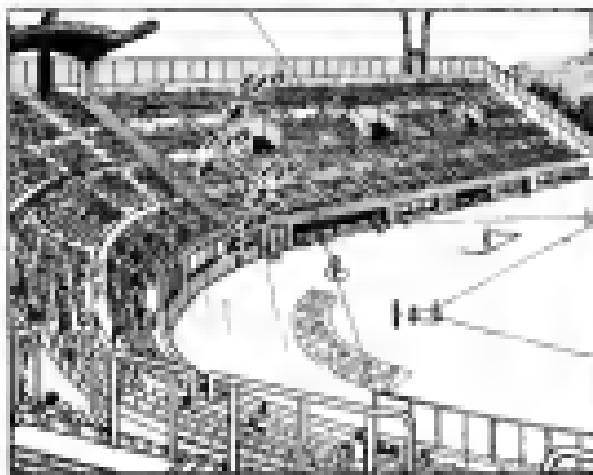
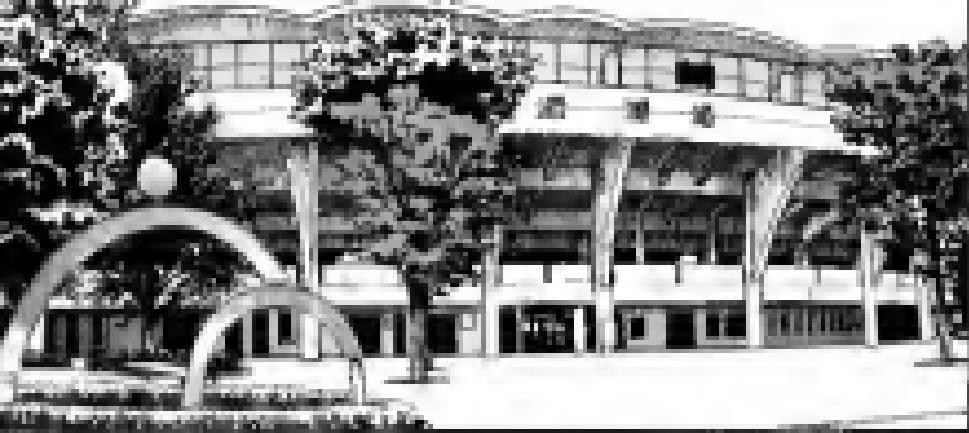
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LITTLE LEAGUE

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has hit .450, with  
5 home runs in 10 games.



Putting 7th, first  
baseman Shigeo, who  
wasn't selected for the  
second string team.

NOW EYES GOT  
TO REALIZE MY  
SIGHT THREE  
AS FADE.

THIS LUCKY  
FATHERED  
WON.

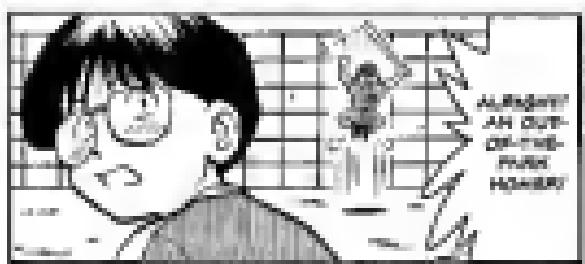


NOR BORDER LINE,  
EYES GOT TO AWARE  
IT TO THE FIRST  
STRIKE AGAIN!







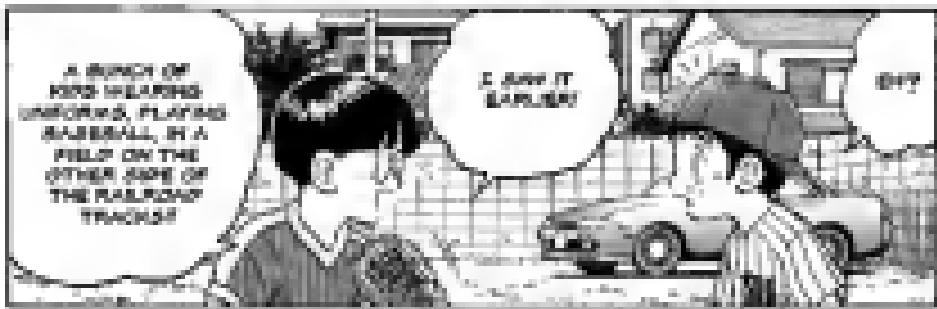


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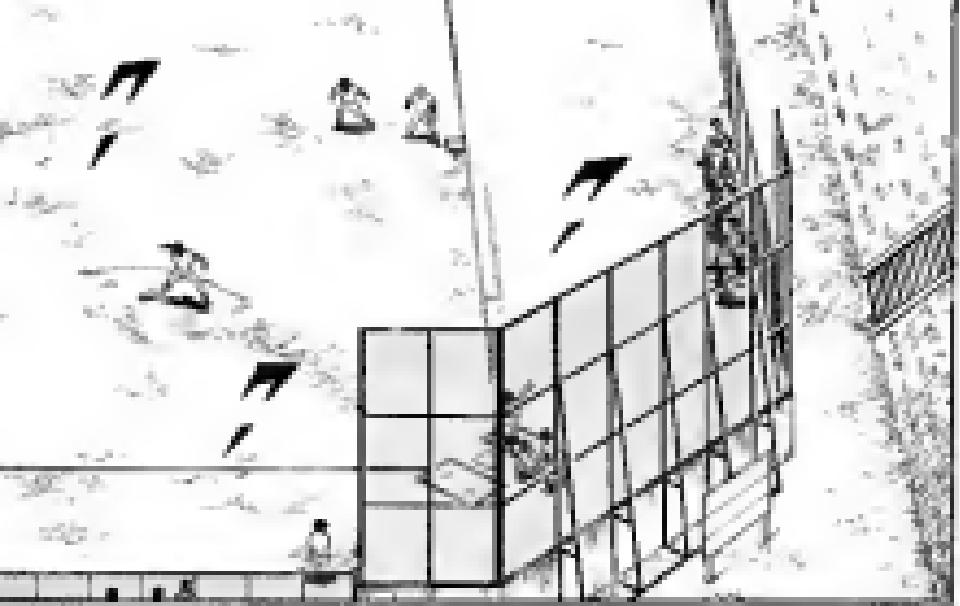


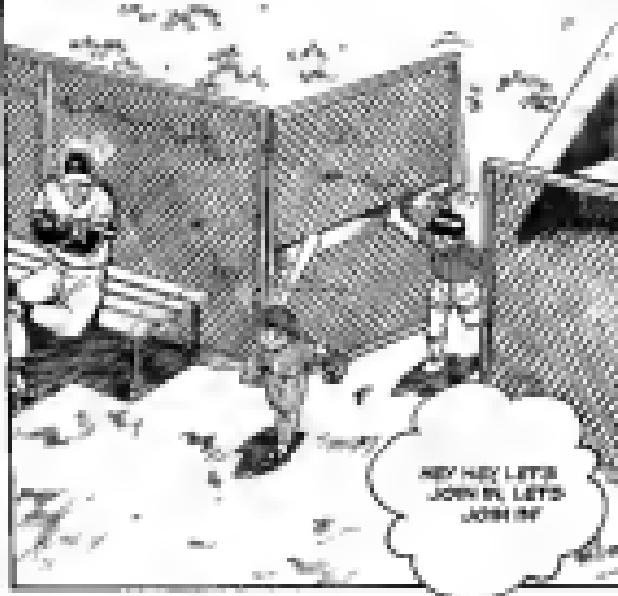


LET'S JOIN  
LET'S JOIN  
A GANGLOT  
TEAM, THREW!



I'M REAL OFF





## MAJOR 1





AND I'VE BEEN  
WATCHING FOR A  
WHILE HOW KINKED  
UP WITH THAT  
ATTORNEY?



AGE HAS  
NOTHIN'  
TO DO WITH  
BENNY GOODIN

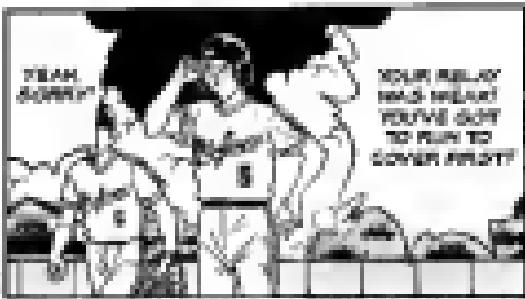


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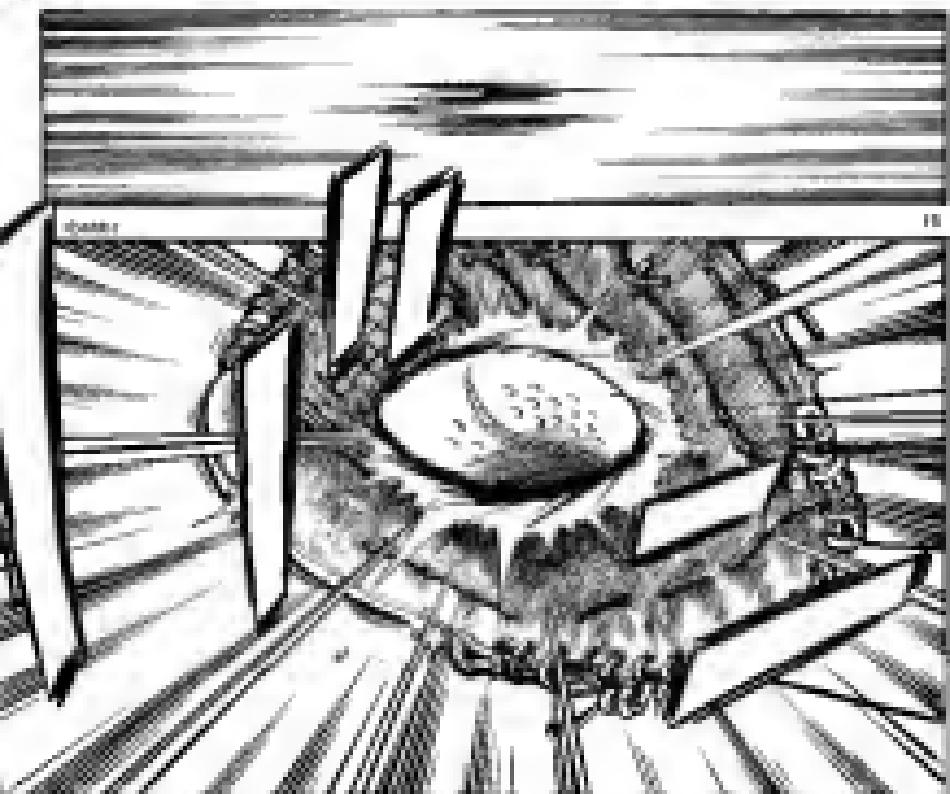






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CHAPTER 8:

## Vs. Little League

HEY LET US  
ON THE  
TEAM TOO.

W-WHAT  
THE HELL WAS  
THAT PITCH  
JUST NOW...?

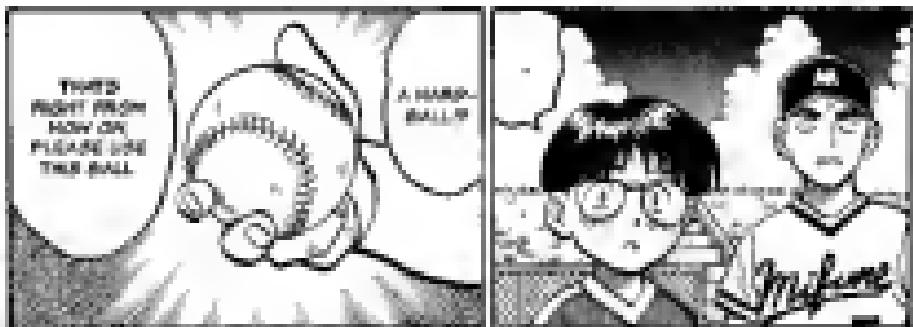
HE CAN'T BE  
MORE THAN A  
5 OR 6 YEAR  
OLD BUZZER!

SO NICE  
THAT HAD  
RORIN!?







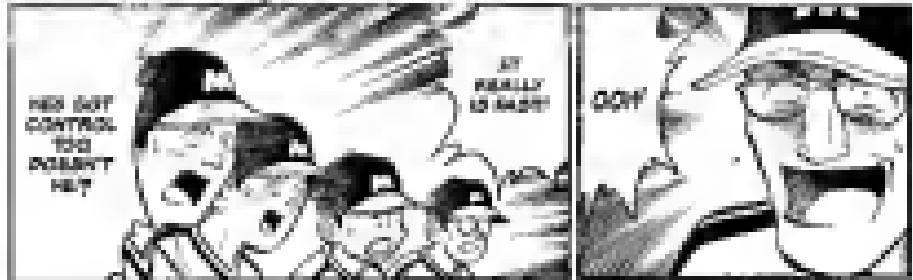
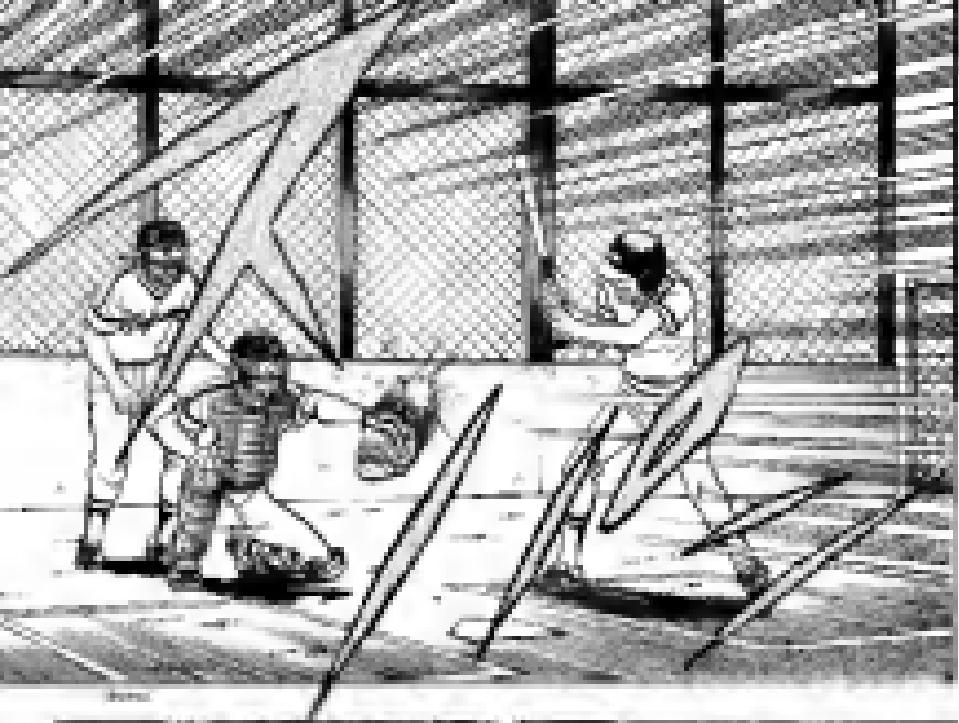


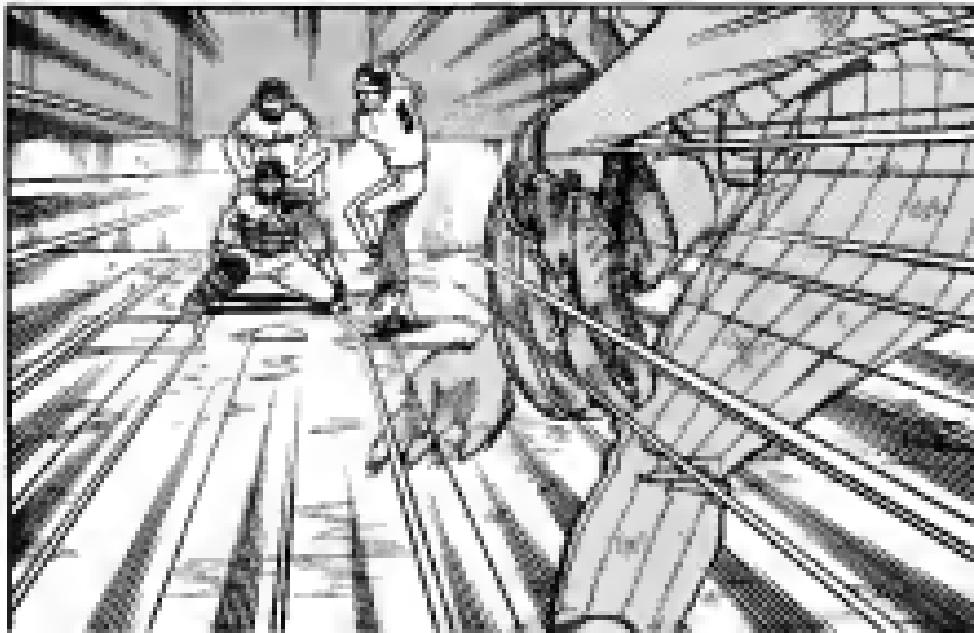
IT'S JUST  
LIKE DAD!

PITCHING FROM  
THE MOUND  
WITH A BASEBALL  
TO A BATTER.

ALRIGHT!

Original







LITTLE  
LEAGUE  
ISN'T  
THAT  
EASY!

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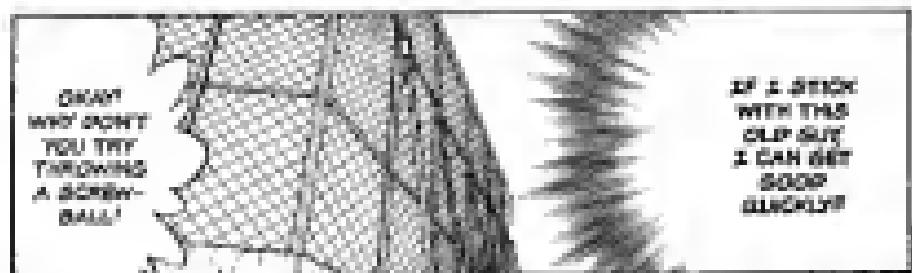


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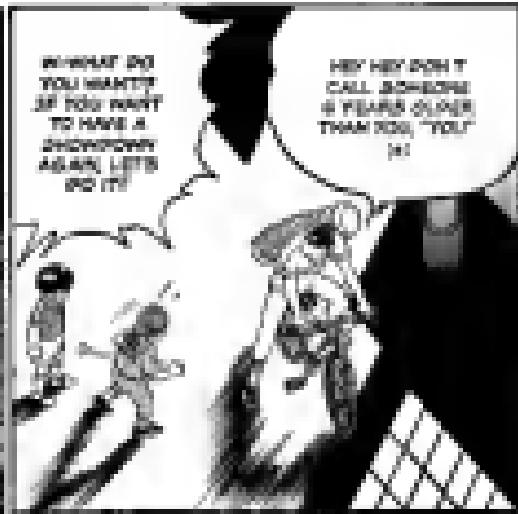








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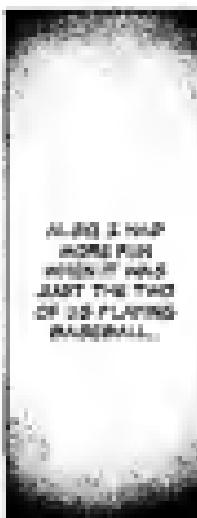


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ONE HE FORGET  
DO THAT HE NEED  
LACKED AS A  
PITCHER FROM  
THE SET-UP

I TRASH  
PROBABLY  
SHOOT DAY



ALSO I HAD  
MORE FUN  
WHEN IT WAS  
JUST THE TWO  
OF US PLAYING  
BASEBALL...



J-SOON-  
TRASH  
UNFOR-  
GOD-FOR-

LITTLE  
LEAGUE?

EH?

LET ME  
LET YOU A  
S-P-E-A-K  
C-O-U-N-T  
T-H-E  
T-E-A-M

W-WAIT  
A MINUTE!

THAT'S  
YOUR  
ARM FOR  
YOU  
PROBABLY

TEAM!

IN PRACTICE PRACTICE  
IF I START DOING IT  
HOW I CAN REALLY  
BECOME A PRO!

TEAM!

...I EVEN  
LEARNED HOW  
TO THROW  
A QUARTZBALL  
AND A  
SUPERBALL!

...I EVEN  
LEARNED HOW  
TO THROW  
A QUARTZBALL  
AND A  
SUPERBALL!



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